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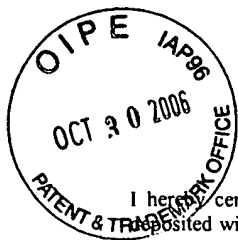
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The applicants gratefully acknowledge the indication as to the allowance of the present application. However the applicants respectfully submit that the Statement of Reasons for Allowance are, in and of themselves, inappropriate. It is noted that reasons for allowance are only warranted in instances in which "the record of the prosecution as a whole does not make clear his or her reasons for allowing a claim or claims." (37 CFR §1.104(e)). In the present case, the applicants believe the record as a whole does make the reasons for allowance clear and,


Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance
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therefore, no statement by the Examiner is necessary or warranted. Furthermore, the applicants do not necessarily agree with each statement in the reasons for allowance.

Specifically, it has been indicated that the claims are allowed by importing interpretations into the claims in relation to the prior art that results in a potential imprecise and/or inaccurate understanding of the reasons. This places an unwarranted interpretation upon the claims. Such a characterization of the claims does not properly take into account the applicants' claimed invention as reflected in the specification and the applicants' responses to Office Actions. Therefore, while the applicants believe the claims are allowable, the applicants do not acquiesce that patentability resides in only the features, exactly as expressed in the claims, nor that each feature is required for patentability.

Respectfully submitted,

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